

Nation Honors Battle Dead on Armistice Day

Legal Holiday Proclaimed in Nine States, While Twenty-one Others Join in Celebration of Victory

Churches Hold Services

City's First Parade by Brooklyn Postoffice Employees, Who March 1,000 Strong

America yesterday celebrated the first anniversary of the victory it helped to win over Germany. In nine States—Oregon, Minnesota, Michigan, Massachusetts, Maryland, Texas, Alabama, North Carolina and California—Armistice Day was observed as a legal holiday. In twenty-one others, including New York, special commemorative exercises were held.

Celebrations of a memorial and triumphal nature were held in all parts of New York City, beginning at 4 o'clock in the morning, when clerks going to work at the Brooklyn postoffice started the first parade of the day, in which more than a thousand early risers joined. The paraders were addressed before sun up by Postmaster W. C. Burton.

At 6 a. m. the Commercial Cable Company suspended all service for two minutes in commemoration of the signing of the armistice and in memory of those who died to bring it about. Churches throughout the city held periods of silent prayer for the fallen and longer services were held in the afternoon.

Churches Join in Services

At the Church of the Paulist Fathers solemn memorial mass was celebrated for the men of the 107th Infantry fallen in battle. The service was held under the auspices of the Veterans' Association of the regiment and hundreds of relatives of the dead were present. The Rev. John A. McGrath, former chaplain of the 34th Field Artillery, was celebrant of the mass, and was assisted by the Paulist chorists. The Rev. Joseph McSorley, former chaplain of the 52d Pioneer Infantry, officiated as deacon, and the Rev. Thomas V. C. Moore, who fought through the war as major in the Marine Corps, as sub-deacon.

A catafalque over which candles burned was erected in the church, and during the procession the procession halted in front of it while a bugler in the rear of the edifice sounded taps. The Rev. Peter Hoey, chaplain of the 107th, delivered the sermon. At Old Trinity a brief memorial service was held at noon at which the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector, preached. Dr. Manning in his address made a strong plea for the immediate suppression of those who threaten the institutions for which Americans fight.

"We will defend and uphold these principles at all costs," he said, "not only from attack from without, but also from the foul and poisonous influences from within."

Enemies of Freedom

"We will put down with stern hands any who seek to destroy freedom, who seek to destroy liberty or who seek to disseminate here the vile and inhuman teachings of anarchy. And let me say here that we ought to deal most sternly of all with those with American names, whatever their wealth or station may be, who are giving their money and support or their pens to this propaganda. They are the worst, the most intolerable traitors, for they know what America stands for."

"We must watch, above all others, the man who will seek to sow discord and enmity between us and the government of Great Britain, for it is the fellowship of the English speaking peoples which is the hope and assurance of peace and justice in the world."

A special mass in memory of the fallen was also held in St. Patrick's Cathedral. There was a sermon and a hymn of thanksgiving, and the climax was played from noon until 12:30. The Actors' Memorial Fund launched their great drive to make Actors' Memorial Day a success last evening, at an Armistice Day meeting held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Fifth Avenue and Forty-fifth Street, at which the Rev. Dr. Herbert Shipman, rector; the Rev. Dr. Joseph Silverman of Temple Beth-el; the Rev. Dr. H. Pereira Mendes of the Portuguese Synagogue; Lieutenant General Robert Lee Bullard, Police Commissioner Enright and Daniel Frohman spoke.

Motion picture taken of the meeting and tickets of admission to the theater, where they will be produced were distributed to the audience. W. Ward Smith, who presided, said the Actors' Fund to date amounts to \$317,250.

Messages of regret at not being able to attend, and hope for the success of the campaign were received from Major General Leonard Wood, Governor Cullwell of West Virginia, Newton D. Baker, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Senator Medill McCormack, Joseph Daniels, A. Mitchell Palmer, Senator William E. Borah and the Rev. Francis P. Duffy, former chaplain of the 165th Infantry.

Harlem Post, 133, American Legion, held a rally in the great hall of the College of the City of New York last

Miss Cavell's Death Cell To Be Museum

BRUSSELS, Nov. 11.—The cells occupied by Edith Cavell and Gabrielle Petit previous to their execution by the Germans are to be transformed into miniature museums. This has been decided upon by the Court of Justice.

Clothes worn by the two women, their books and other belongings have been collected and placed in the cells. Plates bearing appropriate inscriptions will be attached to the doors.

night, which was addressed by William S. Bennett and Henry Morgenthau. Lieutenant General Bullard and his staff were guests of honor. Senators Wadsworth and Chamberlain, who had been expected, sent messages of regret. Sydney M. Louis, president of the post, presided.

Police Reserves Called Out

Zionist District No. 2, comprising the lower East Side, celebrated Armistice Day by a special performance of "The Jews" at the Tomasshefsky Theater in Europe. Judge Otto A. Rosaksky spoke. The theater was filled to capacity and reserves had to be called to keep the crowd outside in order.

The Rev. Dr. C. G. Crisp, pastor of the village last night and followed this with a dance and special program in Public School 41 in Bleecker Street. The Rev. Dr. Crisp, president of the Hotel Brevoort to serenade Major La Guardia, but unfortunately the major had left his rooms there and had gone to speak in Brooklyn. Captain P. St. George Bissell, president of his post, presided at the gathering in the school and made a short address, following which the post was presented with a silk flag.

The Rev. John M. Tierney in Part I of the Bronx Supreme Court and Justice Charles L. Goy in the Criminal Branch of the Bronx Supreme Court ordered short adjournments and delivered brief addresses on the significance of the day. Judge Gibbs also suspended business at noon in the Bronx County Court.

Livered an armistice day address at the St. Paul's Chapel, where he urged New Yorkers to set up adequate memorials for those who died in France.

Americanization Urged

Presbyterian headquarters, 150 Fifth Avenue, observed the day by special services at which prayers of praise and thanksgiving were offered by Dr. Stanley White, secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions, and the Rev. Paul Erdman, for many years missionary to Syria and now on furlough here.

Addresses advocating Americanization as an effective means of overcoming the present turbulent conditions of the world were delivered to the students of New York University by Chancellor Elmer Ellsworth Brown and Dean Archibald L. Routon of the College of Arts and Pure Science. Students of Barnard College were addressed by Professor Muller, of the French department, who spent four years in the service of his country, and Professor Bigonari, a soldier at the Italian front.

Negro Veterans Parade

The chief feature of Brooklyn's celebration was a parade of negro veterans of the war. The troops assembled at the fountain on Bedford Avenue. They were reviewed by Borough President Riegelmann and Colonel William Hayward from a stand in front of the Central Y. M. C. A.

Public buildings and many private residences were decorated with flags and dinners and meetings were held in all parts of the borough by a variety of patriotic organizations. The bell on Borough Hall was rung for four minutes, beginning at noon. The Society of Michigan Daughters of the City of New York celebrated the day by a musicale in the Waldorf-Astoria at which Mrs. Homer Folke, wife of the head of the civil affairs department of the Red Cross in France spoke.

A cable from Paris, received by William P. Larkin, overseas director of the Knights of Columbus, said that K. of C. secretaries had participated with American soldiers yesterday in a pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes, which was headed by Cardinal Amette, of Paris, and Cardinal Luçon, of Rheims.

Exercises in celebration of the day were held in all public schools in Jersey City. At New Brunswick, N. J., special exercises were held in Monument Square where there was a flag raising at 7:30 a. m. and a mass meeting at 11 a. m.

President Leaves His Bed To Join in Celebration

Commemorates Armistice by Sitting in Chair for the First Time Since His Illness Began

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Two events of national importance not on the arranged program—the arrival of the Prince of Wales as the guest of the nation and President Wilson's leaving his bed for the first time since illness forced him to abandon his speaking tour last month—marked the celebration of Armistice Day in Washington. A general feeling of relief in official circles over the decision of the soft-footed miners to rescind the strike order was another high point in the day set apart to commemorate the ending of hostilities in the war.

Rain fell almost continuously during the day, forcing many of the arranged events of celebration to be held inside in departments and bureaus. The rain, however, could not dampen the ardor of those participating in the ceremonies connected with the planting of two memorial California redwood trees in Lafayette Square, opposite the

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White House. At the anniversary hour, 11 o'clock in the morning, the rattle of musketry from the army firing platoon formally announced that the trees were in place, banked by earth brought from many states for the purpose and with memorial documents to be sheltered for years beneath their roots.

Serenade the President

To-night a chorus of community singers gathered on the steps of the Treasury, across from the White House, to serenade Mr. Wilson.

The President had planned some days in advance to leave his sickbed to-day, as in some measure his own commemoration of the significance of Armistice Day. Reposing in a wheel chair, he was able to hear a part of the program arranged by the singers in his honor.

Formal expressions as to the day's meaning in not only American but world history were sent to the country by the President, Cabinet officers, Generals Pershing and March and other officials during the day. Secretary Daniels added to his formal statement in an address to wounded soldiers at Walter Reed Military Hospital.

To Make Liberty Sure

"The men who made Armistice Day possible in 1918," the Secretary of the Navy said, "will never permit anarchy or autocracy to rule here in America. Here, where brave men who made the noblest sacrifices are making ready for future patriotic service, there is no need to make resolution of devotion to Americanism. Your dedication, made in blood trenches, calls for no peace declarations, because deeds live when words are forgotten."

"This is not a day for doubt or dependency or dalliance. It is a day for national baptism in the faith that sent American boys unafraid over the top. My message to civilians is: 'Let us follow liberty as the men in arms fought and died for it. To be worthy of them we must join with them to make democracy safe for the world.'"

London Traffic Halts In Memory of Dead

Entire Nation Joins in Two Minutes of Prayer at Hour on Which Hostilities Ended

(Copyright, 1919, New York Tribune Inc.) LONDON, Nov. 11.—Great Britain paid silent tribute to-day to the men who were killed in the war. At the exact hour that hostilities ceased a year ago the entire nation paused for two minutes and bowed its head in prayer.

At a signal from his majesty's ship Maroon, lying in the Thames, London's traffic stopped. Wheels ceased to turn in factories, people in the streets stopped, men bared their heads, soldiers saluted, women prayed. Such a silence was never known here before. So intense was the quest that when the throngs in Whitehall Street raised their voices in "God Save the King" the singing could be heard miles away, and it was taken as a signal to resume usual occupations.

Premier Joins in Tribute LONDON, Nov. 11 (By The Associated Press).—"The Comrades of the Great War" and members of other patriotic organizations assembled in Whitehall Street this morning before a cenotaph commemorated to "the glorious dead." To the monument thousands brought wreaths, among them Premier Lloyd George, who walked bareheaded from Downing Street to place his flowers among the others. President Poincaré passed the period of silence with the King in Buckingham Palace, although his representative, Colonel Blavier, placed a wreath on the cenotaph and stood at salute just before 11 o'clock.

The newspapers to-day devoted columns to the anniversary, printing among other things messages from numerous public persons appreciative of the occasion. Among these messages was one from the Dowager Queen Alexandra to "The Daily Mail," saying, "We all pray that God will hear our silent prayers in remembrance of all our brave departed who lay down their precious lives on the battlefield."

Address Sent to Mr. Wilson The English-Speaking Union gave a dinner here to-night in celebration of the day. The chief event of the dinner was the presentation to John W. Davis, the American Ambassador, for transmission to President Wilson of an illuminated address to the American people testifying

to the excellent relations which existed between the British people and the American troops quartered in this country during the war. The address bears the signatures of the Lord Mayors, Lord Provosts and the mayors of the chief cities and towns in the British Isles.

Wickersham Deplores Jealousies Among Allies

Says Co-operation Is Succeeded by Mistrust; Gerard Wants Steel Fist to Suppress "Reds"

An Armistice Day meeting drew a large crowd to the Cathedral of St. John the Divine last night, where George W. Wickersham, former Attorney General, and James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany, spoke. Mr. Wickersham said that few who exulted a year ago in the overthrow of Germany would have believed it possible that a year could pass and the peace treaty still remain unsigned.

"Few, too," he continued, "would then have apprehended that the close relations of friendship and mutual respect which years of cooperation in the great struggle had developed among the Allied and associated nations should be so quickly chilled and succeeded by jealousies and mistrust. Mr. Gerard called for the putting down of "Red" agitation in this nation ruthlessly and immediately. He said: "For the sake of everything we hold dear these murderers and revolutionists must be put down with a hand of steel. The free speech guaranteed by our Constitution does not give a right to undermine that Constitution and all our civil and religious life."

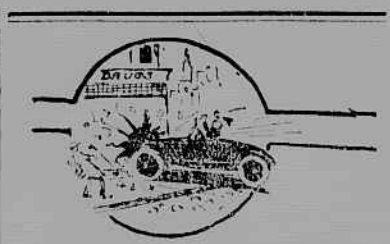
"Are women to be nationalized and both property and the right of property destroyed? Is the God denied because of the ambitious of unscrupulous men who lead the mob, whose success would mean that, as in Hungary to-day, the people would take refuge in caves and be waged for a few leaves of moldy bread?"

"No avenue of opportunity is closed in this country; there is no excuse for anarchy. And there must come a revival of religion. The destroyed cathedrals must be rebuilt in every human heart."

President Butler Calls Law and Order Test Here Vital to World

National self-control and obedience to law and order is the need of the hour in America, Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia, declared yesterday in an Armistice Day speech at the university. He diagnosed the widespread discontent and unrest in the country as caused by national exhaustion and nervous and mental prostration from the war.

"If you look for an explanation of the widely prevailing unrest," President Butler said, "you will find it, not



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League Doomed Unless All Join, Says Balfour

Great Powers Must Share Its Burdens, He Declares, in Opening Campaign

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Arthur J. Balfour, former Foreign Minister and now Lord President of the Council, opening the league of nations campaign to-day, declared that the future of the league would be dark indeed unless all the powers, and particularly the great powers, were prepared to take an equal share in the burdens the league cast upon them.

The Rev. Duncan H. Browne, the "fighting parson" of the 77th Division, who received the Distinguished Service Cross for bravery, spoke at a meeting earlier in the afternoon in the gymnasium.

Marshal Foch Worships At Armistice Day Mass

French Leader at Services in Paris With Men Maimed in the War With the Germans

PARIS, Nov. 11.—The first anniversary of Armistice Day was celebrated to-day at the Chapel Invalides with a solemn mass, in memory of those who gave their lives in the world war. Marshal Foch, General Paul and many maine soldiers were present. A choir, composed of war orphans, sang "Te Deum."

Quit School to Celebrate

Insisting that Armistice Day gave them a constitutional right to remain away from school, about two hundred boys and fifteen girl students of the Flushing High School refused to enter their classrooms yesterday. Instead they did a snake dance around the school and then started to wind their way down the main streets of Flushing.

The students paraded to Jamaica High School, where they broke up when threatened with arrest. John Holley Clark, principal of the school, said that the act was a clear violation of school discipline.

Toledo Trolley Company To Seek New Franchise

Carless Town Meanwhile Expects to Walk or Ride Bineys a Long Time

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 11.—Toledo to-day settled down to a state of watchful waiting. The outlook is for a long period of street carless days. Mayor Cornel Schreiber, who introduced last June the ouster ordinance which resulted in the "kidnapping" of all rolling stock in the city, conferred with business men and others this afternoon, but failed to arrive at a solution other than that the motor car system will be used indefinitely.

The city is ready to consider proposals from Henry L. Doherty of New York, head of the concern which, until the ouster ordinance took effect through a vote of the people a week ago to-day, controlled the traction system here. Mayor Schreiber announced that buses to-day came from several other cities to take part in transporting workers at 10 cents a ride.

Suffrage Association's Work Is Declared Ended

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 11.—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, in an address read in her enforced absence before the convention of the National Council of Women here to-night, announced that, as the work of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, of which she is president, had finished its work, that organization probably would be dissolved at its Chicago convention next February and be displaced by the League of Women Voters.

"The end of the suffrage struggle is in sight," Mrs. Catt said. "The controversy of a century that once was waged with eggs and cabbage has closed."

Chicago Traffic Stopped

CHICAGO, Nov. 11.—Chicago traffic, noise and practically all movement halted for one minute at 11 a. m. to-day, while hundreds of thousands faced east in respect to Armistice Day and soldier dead.

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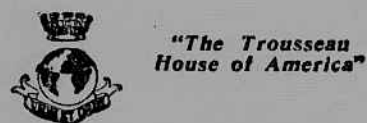
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